IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN RE: ASBESTOS PRODUCTS : Consolidated Under LIABILITY LITIGATION (No. VI) : MDL DOCKET NO. 875

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JACKIE L. SULLIVAN, : Case No. 18-3622

Executrix of The Estate of :
JOHN L. SULLIVAN, Deceased, and Widow in Her Own Right :

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v.

A. W. CHESTERTON, INC., et al.:

ORDER

AND NOW, this 6th day of June, 2019, for the reasons set forth in the accompanying Memorandum of Law, and upon consideration of the motions detailed below, it is hereby ORDERED that:

- Huntington Ingalls' motion for leave to file a reply
 (ECF 154) is GRANTED;
- 2. Huntington Ingalls' motion to dismiss (ECF No. 106) is GRANTED and Huntington Ingalls is DISMISSED from the case for lack of personal jurisdiction;
- 3. John Crane's motion to dismiss (ECF No. 107) and BF Goodrich's motion to join (ECF No. 132) are **DENIED**; 1

John Crane seeks dismissal of the amended complaint because it was filed ten days late. While this Court has discretion to strike the untimely pleading, it will not do so because: (1) Plaintiff has established good cause for the delay; and (2) John Crane points to no specific prejudice from the

4. The motions to file replies in support of joinders to John Crane's motion to dismiss (ECF Nos. 155, 156, 158, 165) are DENIED as moot; and

5. Plaintiff's motion for leave to file an amended complaint beyond the time ordered by the court (ECF No. 129) is DENIED as moot.

AND IT IS SO ORDERED.

/s/ Eduardo C. Robreno EDUARDO C. ROBRENO, J.

tardy pleading, and the Court finds no prejudice to any Defendant. The Court would prefer to determine the case on the merits rather than on a procedural error that prejudiced no one.